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please vote aye...by machine, we'll have a machine vote, those opposed vote no. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 44 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the motion to accept the committee credentials report.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: The motion is accepted. The Chair recognizes Senator Moore for the next motion, please.

SENATOR MOORE: Yes, Mr. President and members, I move that a committee of five members be appointed to escort the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to the Legislative Chamber for the purpose of administering the oath of office to the members of the Nebraska Legislature.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: All those in favor of the motion say aye. Opposed nay. They will be announced. The Chair will select Senator Moore, Senator Hefner, Senator Dierks, Senator Morrissey and Senator Abboud. Would you please retire to the rear of the Chamber and escort the Supreme Court Justice to the podium. Mr. Clerk, do you have something for the record?

CLERK: Mr. President, prior to the arrival of the Chief Justice for purposes of administering the oath, I have received notice of election contest from Mr. Paul Korslund and from Senator Dennis Byars regarding the election to the 30th Legislative District. Those documents are on file in my office. Pursuant to the recommendations of the Credentials Committee report, those documents will be forwarded on to the appropriate legislative committee for their consideration and ultimately to be referred back to the Legislature. Those documents will be on file and will be inserted in the Legislative Journal, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: The Chair recognizes Sergeant at Arms Karl Kamprath. Sergeant at Arms.

SERGEANT AT ARMS: Mr. President, your committee escorting Will Hastings, Chief Justice of the Nebraska Supreme Court.

PRESIDENT NICHOL: Would you please come forward, gentlemen. Ladies and gentlemen, the Chief Justice of the State of Nebraska.

CHIEF JUSTICE HASTINGS: Would the following please come